

MEETING THE YEAR 2000 COMPUTER CHALLENGE: SCHOOLS, COLLEGES & THE MILLENNIUM BUG

A live, interactive teleconference with U.S. Secretary of Education Richard Riley on how schools and colleges are preparing for the Year 2000.

Monday, December 7[™] 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. (ET)

How do I watch and participate in the teleconference?

This is an opportunity to get useful information on the Millennium Bug specifically tailored to the education community. Here's how:

- Find a local site with satellite downlink capability, such as a university, a community college, a school district office, or a community access television station;
- Network with others in your community addressing the same issue;
- Invite administrators, technical staff, teachers, school, business and community leaders to participate;
- Register your participation and, if possible, invite others from your local education community to come together to discuss this important issue.
- Watch the live webcast available courtesy of NASA's Learning Technologies Channel at http://quest.arc.nasa.gov/ltc/stm/

This interactive teleconference encourages your participation!

- Before the program, fax your questions to 202-401-0689 (by December 4th at noon)
- During the program, call, fax, or email your questions.

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Test time: 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Eastern; Program: 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Eastern For technical problems on December 7th and during the program only, call 703-998-2611.

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